

**"The Daylight Store"**

# This is Palm Beach Weather

And We Can Fit You and Please You in

**Genuine Palm Beach \$7.50**

(Bearing the Label)

**Hart, Schaffner & Marx Kool Klothes up to - \$10.00**

**Ladies Wash Skirts and Waists - - 98c up**

## American Clo. House.

LEADERS FOR THIRTY YEARS.

Black & Arnold Clothing Co.  
Palm Beach suits \$6.50,  
Black & Arnold.

A. G. Deacon was a Kansas  
City visitor Monday.

Harry Wyatt was a Joplin  
visitor the last of the week.

W. E. Welton made a busi-  
ness trip to Foster Tuesday.

Mrs. J. F. Nicolay is visiting  
relatives and friends in Kansas  
City this week.

Miss Virgie McConnell, of  
Kansas City, is the guest of Miss  
Hazel Ludwick.

Col. S. W. Dooley and wife  
have returned from an extended  
trip in Florida.

Walter Orer, of Rich Hill,  
visited friends and relatives in  
this city last week.

A large number of "fans"  
went to Pleasant Hill Sunday to  
take in the ball game.

Ed Grout has accepted a posi-  
tion with the Wells-Fargo Ex-  
press company as driver.

Harvey Tuttle left Tuesday  
for Kansas City where he will  
visit friends for a few days.

J. D. Fleming, of Marshall,  
Mo., visited his sister, Mrs. A.  
S. Travis, the latter part of the  
week.

Long cuff gloves, Black &  
Arnold.

G. E. Cable, a former resident  
of Butler, but now of Harrison-  
ville, was a business visitor  
Tuesday.

Wide brim straw hats, Black  
& Arnold.

The Bank of England was dy-  
namited and robbed one day  
last week—the Bank of Eng-  
land, Ark.

Boys and girls sandals, Black  
& Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holloway  
and children motored to Harri-  
sonville Sunday and spent the  
day visiting friends.

Chas. E. Scott came in from  
Olathe, Kas., the first of the  
week and spent a few days vis-  
iting home folks.

Miss Ladine Harper, who was  
a guest at a house party at In-  
dependence, Mo., returned home  
the last of the week.

Mrs. W. E. Welton and Mrs.  
Fred Williams spent a couple of  
days the first of the week vis-  
iting friends in Adrian.

Miss Bertha Angle, of Clinton,  
who has been visiting Miss  
Flossie Coonrod, returned to her  
home the first of the week.

Will Dooley, the popular shoe  
salesman, came in off the road  
Tuesday for a short visit with  
his sister, Mrs. Arthur Duvall.

Mrs. A. V. Adams and son,  
Cooper, of Adrian, were the  
guests of Capt. and Mrs. J. E.  
Thompson the last of the week.

John Boulware, who has been  
visiting his father, Dr. T. C.  
Boulware, returned to his home  
in La Plata, Mo., the first of the  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Silvers, of  
Springfield, Mo., who have been  
visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wil-  
cox, have returned to their  
home.

Frank Ludwick, deputy clerk  
of the Kansas City court of ap-  
peals, spent Sunday with his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lud-  
wick.

Oscar Kroff left the first of  
the week for Texas on a two  
weeks vacation. Before return-  
ing he will visit his parents at  
Calhoun, Mo.

Mrs. Roy Wilcox and son,  
Milo, left Tuesday for Ava,  
Douglas county, where they  
will visit Mrs. Wilcox's mother  
and other relatives.

Mrs. Carl Ludwick and chil-  
dren, of Los Angeles, Cal., ar-  
rived the last of the week to vis-  
it her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Wm. Hada, of Spruce.

Robert Osborne and William  
Cowgill, of St. Paul, Minn., ar-  
rived in Butler Thursday after-  
noon to visit relatives. Osborne  
is a student of the St. Paul high  
school and Cowgill is in the Min-  
nesota State University. They  
expect to work on farms this  
summer and return to their stud-  
ies in the fall.

Have you bought one of those  
Khaki pants, 75c, Black & Ar-  
nold.

Mrs. Chris Black visited  
friends in Rich Hill the last of  
the week.

Miss Mary Hennessy, of Ne-  
vada, visited friends in Butler  
last week.

Panama hats new shapes,  
Black & Arnold.

Miss Stella Talbott, of Adrian,  
visited friends in this city Fri-  
day evening.

New 25c ties, Black & Arnold.

Frank Robinson and John  
Butler of Appleton City were in  
the city Saturday.

Soft dress shirts, Black &  
Arnold.

Marion Day, of Kansas City,  
visited his uncle, T. J. Day, the  
first of the week.

Miss Martha Henry has ac-  
cepted a position as bookkeeper  
with Walker-McKibbens.

Mrs. Joe Phillips and daugh-  
ter, of Joplin, Mo., visited  
friends in this city last week.

Burt, Cline, a prominent attor-  
ney of Appleton City, transac-  
ted business in Butler Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Novotney, of Pratt,  
Kas., will keep posted on Bates  
county affairs the next year by  
reading The Times.

Ira Rockhold and family mo-  
tored up to Pleasant Hill Sunday  
afternoon and saw the Butler  
team lose a ball game.

Rev. W. J. Snow and wife  
left the first of the week for  
Arkansas where Rev. Snow will  
spend a two weeks vacation.

Robert Braden and wife, of  
Iola, Kas., are in the city vis-  
iting Mr. Braden's father, R. L.  
Braden and family.

Mrs. Richard Keele and  
daughter, Pauline, spent a cou-  
ple of days in Rich Hill the last  
of the week visiting friends.

Miss Laura Bernadette Duvall,  
who has been teaching dramatic  
art in Chicago, has returned  
home for the summer.

Stripe overalls 75c Black &  
Arnold.

Miss Dolly Cutmire and her  
sister, Mrs. M. B. Morris, of  
Kansas City, visited their par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Levy Covey,  
last week.

Walter Oakes, son of Arthur  
Oakes, (col.) died at the home  
of Jerry Majors in the east part  
of the city Saturday morning,  
of consumption.

Miss Ola Ayers, of the Vir-  
ginia, neighborhood, came in  
last week and spent a few days  
with her grandmother, Mrs.  
Mary R. Morrison.

Elmer Campbell and family  
motored up to Kansas City Sat-  
urday and returned Sunday by  
way of Pleasant Hill where they  
took in the ball game.

Last week R. A. Mudd, the  
station agent at Panama, checked  
in a relief man and left on a va-  
cation. After working two days,  
the relief man also took a vaca-  
tion and also all the money and  
other valuables in the office. He  
is still at large.

Dr. T. W. Arnold and family  
returned the latter part of the  
week from Ft. Smith, Ark.,  
where they had spent a week  
visiting W. G. Shafer and fam-  
ily.

Chester Sleeth and Roy Bart-  
lett motored over to Merwin on  
business one day the last of the  
week. They report crops in  
that part of the country as look-  
ing good.

B. G. Culver, the popular  
traveling man, who has been off  
the road for the last week or  
two visiting home folks, re-  
sumed his duties the first of  
the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wells  
and daughter, of Mayfield, Kas.,  
who have been visiting Mr.  
Wells' parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Henry Wells, have returned to  
their home.

Mrs. John Campbell and  
daughter, Anna Belle, returned  
Saturday from an extended trip  
through the west during which  
they took in the Panama-Pacific  
exposition.

Wendell Atkeson, who has  
been employed in a printing  
plant at Columbia, Mo., has re-  
turned home and will assist his  
father, W. O. Atkeson, in getting  
out the Record.

W. E. Walton returned Sun-  
day from a trip to Excelsior  
Springs. Mr. Walton's many  
friends will be glad to learn  
that he has entirely recovered  
from his recent illness.

Lost—Black silk coat between  
cemetery and Wayland's barn,  
northeast of town. Finder  
please leave at Endres Restau-  
rant. 39-1t

Mrs. T. L. Rich.

G. A. Corbin, of Hume, was a  
county seat visitor Tuesday. Mr.  
Corbin, who is one of The Times'  
oldest subscribers, dropped in  
for a chat and to have his dates  
set ahead for another year.

J. S. Vance, one of the old  
residents of Butler, suffered a  
severe stroke of paralysis Tues-  
day morning at his home on S.  
Broadway. He is in a very ser-  
ious condition but hopes are en-  
tertained for his recovery.

Very few farmers were in  
town Saturday. Most of them  
were busy in their fields trying  
to catch up with their work. In  
fact there were many cultivators  
and binders going all day Sun-  
day.

A severe rain and wind storm  
visited this section Monday  
morning, but no serious damage  
was done other than blowing  
limbs off trees. We are told  
one or two silos were blown over  
in different parts of the county.

Cool underwear at Black &  
Arnold.

Rev. R. M. Talbert and wife  
left the first of the week for  
Southern California, where they  
will spend some time visiting  
friends and will then go to San  
Francisco and take in the ex-  
position.

The annual story of a man  
getting lost in a Kansas wheat  
field has appeared. A preacher  
got lost last week in 1500 acre  
wheat field near Dodge City and  
after he had been gone two days  
a searching party found him in a  
semi-unconscious condition.

Expert shoe repairing by Mr.  
Crow at Deffenbaugh & Son.

Miss Nena Batchelor, of east-  
ern Bates was in the city Sun-  
day enroute to Kansas City  
where she will spend some time  
visiting he uncle, Walter Cump-  
ton and family.

"Wet weather!" Have your  
shoes repaired at Deffenbaugh &  
Son.

Master Glenn Harden of Ne-  
vada, is spending a couple of  
weeks with J. M. Graves, south-  
east of town. Mark says he will  
make a farmer out of him if he  
will stay a few days more.

Base ball shoes, Black &  
Arnold.

The Board of Regents of the  
Warrensburg Normal school have  
let the contract for building the  
new science hall to the Capital  
Planing Mill Co., of Jefferson  
City. The building complete will  
cost \$64,000.

Capt. J. E. Thompson left the  
last of the week for Louisiana,  
Mo., where he will spend a week  
in camp with the first regiment  
National Guard of St. Louis.  
Capt. Thompson is a member of  
Gen. Clark's staff.

One coupon given with every  
cent purchased at Frank Clay's,  
the Booster Store. I am a Boos-  
ter and would greatly appreciate  
all coupons left in my name.  
4t (e o w) \* Amy Eggleston.

W. D. Moore on Monday  
brought to this office a potato  
vine the stalks of which were 5  
1-2 feet long. It had 16 large  
potatoes and some smaller ones  
and was still in bloom. Bill ad-  
mits he is some potato raiser.

Sunday was a bad day for  
Butler ball teams. The team  
that went to Pleasant Hill was  
defeated by a eight to five score.  
The second team played the Rich  
Hill team on the Butler grounds  
and met defeat by a big score.

Among our exchanges this  
week we found Vol. 1, No. 1, of  
the Weekly Capital News, of  
Jefferson City. It is a bright,  
newsy paper well edited and well  
printed. E. H. McReynolds is  
editor and manager.

R. T. Victor, who lives at the  
home of John Waddell in the  
west part of town, was stricken  
with paralysis Saturday morn-  
ing. He is in a very serious con-  
dition and very little hopes are  
entertained for his recovery.

Work shirts 35c, Black & Ar-  
nold.

A prominent Detroit automo-  
bile manufacturer is among  
the latest 'prominently men-  
tioned' for the vice-presidency  
of the United States. If all  
those who have purchased one of  
his cars support him he will be  
easily elected.

Farmers who wish to obtain  
the full market price for their  
wheat by marketing it themselves  
as they do their livestock, will do  
well to write Hodgson-Davis  
Grain Company, Kansas City,  
Missouri, for any information  
they may desire. 39-1f

Chas. Mains, of the Adjutant  
General's office at Jefferson  
City, was in the city Thursday  
of last week on his way to La  
Russell, Mo., to participate in  
the maneuvers of the Second Re-  
giment, which are being held at  
that place this week.

Recently General Miles refused  
to appear at a prohibition meet-  
ing in Baltimore because John  
L. Sullivan was to be one of the  
attractions. Last week Presi-  
dent Wilson was compelled to  
share the attention of the natives  
at Windsor, Vt., with Jess Wil-  
lard.

Mens odd pants, Black & Ar-  
nold.

The fast Harrisonville team  
will play the home team on the  
Delaware street grounds Sun-  
day afternoon. The Butler team  
has been strengthened in all de-  
partments and this is expected  
to be the best game of the sea-  
son. Come out and see a good  
fast game.

W. H. Hupp and son, George,  
and Arthur Waddell started on  
an automobile trip to Florence,  
Col., where they will join Mrs.  
Hupp, who is visiting her  
daughter, Mrs. J. H. Goldsby.  
They will go to Kansas City and  
follow the Santa Fe Trail  
through Kansas. The trip is for  
the benefit of Mr. Hupp's health  
which has not been good for  
some time.

Little Apple Blossom's Debut  
into Society.

One morning as I was swing-  
ing lazily in my little bower,  
kissed by the soft summer  
breezes for which I in return  
gave forth my sweetest perfume,  
a little bird flew in among the  
branches and perched itself  
close by my side and began  
praising my beauty and sweet-  
ness in its song. Presently it  
stopped and I heard a voice  
whispering in my ear, "Little  
Apple Blossom, as you swing to  
and fro, rocked by the breezes  
bearing tidings from afar, what  
a lot of gossip you must have  
stored up in the closets of your  
memory. Why don't you tell  
your news, give your views and  
reviews of the little things go-  
ing on in your little grove. I  
will be the bearer of your tid-  
ings and carry them off to the  
big town where they will be  
printed that the world may  
know of your existence, your go-  
ing out and coming in."

And so it is that I the meek,  
timid, retiring little Apple Bos-  
som, find myself trying to write  
a few of the things which I have  
seen and heard this week. I  
know of course that I shall make  
mistakes; some times you may  
not like what I say, but dear  
readers, I beg you to be lenient  
with my short-comings and I  
will endeavor to the best of my  
poor ability and with the aid of  
my little messenger to be a  
truthful bearer of your weekly  
doings.

Dear Editor:  
I am a little apple blossom.  
I'm hardly worth a pin.  
But can't you find a little room,  
And please just let me in.

I'll bring you lots of tidings,  
Laden with my sweet perfume  
And soon you'll think I'm  
worthy  
Of a bigger little room.

M. E. Stouffer visited J. W.  
Isley Sunday.

Jack Carpenter spent the day  
with Milo Tharp Sunday.

I. F. Ellington and family vis-  
ited at the home of Owen Burk  
last Sunday.

E. E. Morilla and family vis-  
ited with Ben Wix and family  
Sunday, after attending Sunday  
school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lufe Cassity  
spent a few pleasant hours in  
Butler Sunday afternoon vis-  
iting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Walker.

Sunday school every Sunday  
morning at 10 o'clock. Preach-  
ing every third Sunday after-  
noon at 3 o'clock. Visitors wel-  
come. Church members sup-  
posed to be there.

Mr. Ralph Culver, Miss Pearl  
Tharp, Hank Tharp and Geo.  
Morilla drove over to Miss Lulu  
Hellig's Sunday evening to eat  
ice cream. A very enjoyable  
evening was spent.

Our Sunday school has had  
fairly good attendance which  
could be greatly improved if ev-  
eryone in the community would  
be a committee of one to see  
that he, himself, were there, in-  
stead of leaving the other fellow  
to find out the vacant seats.

People in this section of the  
county have most of their small  
grain in the shock and have be-  
gun plowing their corn again.  
Prospects for corn are pretty  
good, also for the small grain if  
they don't get damaged by the  
heavy rains with which we were  
visited Monday morning.

APPLE BLOSSOM.

For Sale.

One good buggy and set of sin-  
gle harness. Easy payments.  
Wm. Y. Osborne,  
310 West Ft. Scott St., Butler,  
Mo. 37-2t \*

W. A. Baker, proprietor of the  
well known Bluegrass Valley  
Stock Farm in Pleasant Gap  
township, was in Butler Sat-  
urday and made us a pleasant call.  
Mr. Baker says that his fine  
herd of big type Poland Chinas  
are better than ever before and  
he is especially proud of his  
young sow Mary Look. This  
gilt was farrowed March 12,  
1914, and on May 21, 1915,  
weighed 435 pounds. 21 days  
later, on June 11, she tipped  
the scales at 475 and 28 days  
later on June 9, weighed 540  
pounds, the remarkable gain of  
105 pounds in 49 days. Mr.  
Baker expects to exhibit a part  
of his herd at the state fair this  
year and may take an exhibit  
to the Panama-Pacific Exposi-  
tion at San Francisco.

# Don't FAIL

To Take Advantage  
of the low prices  
we are mak-  
ing on

## Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits

1/2 OFF ON  
All Trousers

Straw Hats  
AT COST

REDUCED PRICES on  
Underwear

ALL WOOL  
Blue Serge Suits \$8.75

FULL SIZES  
Blue Shirts 3 for \$1.00

Reliable Clothes  
Low Prices  
at

# MEYER